## **Listing of Claims:**

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

- 1. (Currently amended) A semiconductor device comprising:
  - a source, a gate and a drain;
  - a source-drain depletion region in a substrate under the gate;
- a single deep-pocket ion implant and a single shallow-pocket ion implant provided in the source-drain depletion region in a staggered configuration, wherein the semiconductor device contains only one deep-pocket ion implant and only one shallow-pocket ion implant at a drain side; and

a single shallow pocket ion implant in the source drain depletion region at a source side.

- 2. 14. (Previously canceled)
- 15. (Previously amended) The semiconductor device as recited in claim 1, further comprising:
- a secondary deep-pocket ion implant in a source side of the source-drain depletion region, the secondary deep-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the source; and
- a secondary shallow-pocket ion implant in a drain side of the source-drain depletion region, the secondary shallow-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the drain.
- 16. 21. (Previously canceled)
- 22. (Canceled)

- 23. (New) The semiconductor device of claim 1, wherein the single deep-pocket ion implant is in the source-drain depletion region is at a drain side and the single shallow-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region is at a source side.
- 24. (New) The semiconductor device of claim 1, wherein the single deep-pocket ion implant is in the source-drain depletion region is at a source side and the single shallow-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region is at a drain side.
- 25. (New) A semiconductor device comprising:
  - a source, a gate and a drain;
  - a source-drain depletion region in a substrate under the gate;
  - a single deep-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region at a drain side;
  - a single shallow-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region at a source side;
  - a secondary deep-pocket ion implant in a source side of the source-drain depletion region,
- the secondary deep-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the source; and
- a secondary shallow-pocket ion implant in a drain side of the source-drain depletion region, the secondary shallow-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the drain.
- 26. (New) A semiconductor device comprising:
  - a source, a gate and a drain;
  - a source-drain depletion region in a substrate under the gate;
  - a single deep-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region at a source side;
  - a single shallow-pocket ion implant in the source-drain depletion region at a drain side;
- a secondary deep-pocket ion implant in a drain side of the source-drain depletion region,

the secondary deep-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the drain; and

a secondary shallow-pocket ion implant in a source side of the source-drain depletion region, the secondary shallow-pocket ion implant having been countered by ions of the source.